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HAKTO 33
DECEMBER 14, 1973
TO: GENERAL SCOWCROFT
FROM: HENRY A. KISSINGER

1. YOU SHOULD CALL IN SHALEV IMMEDIATELY, GIVE HIM ORALLY THE ADDITIONAL BRIEFING ON MY TALKS WITH SADAT IN PARAGRAPHS 2 AND 3 BELOW AND ASK HIM TO TRANSMIT IT BY THE FASTEST POSSIBLE MEANS TO HIS GOVERNMENT.

2. PRESIDENT SADAT IN THE SECOND SESSION OF SECRETARY KISSINGER'S TALKS WITH HIM FRIDAY MORNING AGREED TO THE FOLLOWING WAY OF PROCEEDING IN CONNECTION WITH THE OPENEING PHASE OF THE PEACE CONFERENCE IN GENEVA:

A. THE CONFERENCE SHOULD ADJOURN BY DECEMBER 22 AND BE RECONVENED ON JANUARY 15. THE FIRST SUBJECT SHOULD BE SEPERATION OF FORCES.

B. EGYPT WILL NOT RAISE THE PALESTINIAN ISSUE WHILE THE DISENGAGEMENT DISCUSSIONS ARE UNDERWAY.

C. SUB-GROUPS AT THE CONFERENCE DO NOT HAVE TO HAVE SOVIET AND US PARTICIPATION. THOUGH THEY MIGHT HAVE OTHER PARTICIPANTS SUCH AS UN EXPERTS ON MILITARY MATTERS.

3. IN ADDITION, SADAT DEFINITELY PROMISED TO WEIGHT IN WITH ASAD ON THE POW ISSUE, BUT IT IS ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL THAT THERE BE NO PUBLIC REFERENCE TO THIS IF ISRAEL WISHES PROMPT ACTION. IN RESPONSE TO A PRESS QUESTION ON WHETHER HE WOULD URGE ASAD T EXCHANGE PRISONERS, SADAT SAID HE HAD NO COMMENT BUT HE THOUGH PRESIDENT ASAD WOULD SEE TO THAT.

4. YOU CAN NOTE THAT THESE POINTS ARE ALL PROTECTIVE OF ISRAELI INTERESTS.

5. YOU SHOULD INFORM KEATING THAT YOU HAVE MADE THIS APPROACH.

6. YOU SHOULD SEND THE INFORMATION IN PARAGRAPH 2 ABOVE TO EILTS IN CAIRO, SAYING I ASKED YOU TO PASS IT TO HIM FOR HIS BACKGROUND.

7. WARM REGARDS.

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